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## Canadian Clippings.

### TORONTO TIDINGS

Mrs. John E. Crough, her two young children and her sister, Miss Lucy Buchan, all of Walkerville, arrived in the city on June 20th, on a visit to their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Buchan, Sr. Mrs. Crough and children are here for a few weeks' stay, while Lucy will stay indefinitely, if not for good. Mr. Crough came down on June 28th, and all attended our glorious convention.

Mr. Jess Batstone, of Hamilton, motored over and spent the week-end of June 22d with friends in this city. His frequent trips to our city is causing more than ordinary conversation. The reason may later explain itself.

The captains of the respective four teams in our Soft ball League are as follows: "Beavers" Captain, John Brown; "Bigwings," Captain Roy Bowen; "Primroses," Captain Gerald O'Brien; and "Mercurys," Captain James Tate. The results of the games played on June 21st were: "Beavers" 5 vs. "Bigwings" 4, and "Mercurys" 12 vs. "Primroses" 11.

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## GALLAUDET HOME.

As long as this institution exists as a Home for homeless aged and infirm deaf mutes, or such persons as want to be cared under its sheltering wing, the anniversary of the birthday of its founder, the late Rev. Thomas Gallaudet, will always be remembered and celebrated here. This year the memory of Dr. Gallaudet, the great and good friend of the deaf, was solemnized on Saturday, the 7th of June, and though there were about two dozen visitors here, the event was a delightful affair. As is generally the case, the visitors from the metropolis, arrived some time before 11 A.M. They were Editor E. A. Hodgson, Mr. McMann, Rev. J. H. Kent, Mr. G. C. Braddock, Louis Radlein, W. W. Thomas, of Yonkers, Miss Alice Judge, a teacher at Fanwood, Miss Gussie Berley, Mrs. McClusky, Miss V. B. Gailandet and her sister, Elizabeth, and Mrs. Peter Mitchell, Miss Elizabeth P. Nelson, of Yonkers, a lady manager of the Home for many years, came here the day before Founder's Day, remained here for a couple of weeks.

Rev. Rice, of Wappingers Falls, and Rev. Newton, of Poughkeepsie, were here at an early hour, as also were several of the lady managers, who live in Poughkeepsie or its vicinity. Mrs. Frank Lux, the mother of Mr. Frank Lux, who is a tutor of the boys, at Fanwood, and who is spoken of as a wonderful lipreader, was here for the first time, and the place considerably interested her. Her daughter, Elizabeth, who was Mrs. Robert Nimmo, but married Mr. Steeves some six weeks ago, lives up at Amenia, a small town some miles above Poughkeepsie. Shortly after Elizabeth was remarried, her parents moved up to Amenia from Brooklyn, where they had lived for some thirty years or more. At 12 o'clock the visitors and the inmates assembled in the chapel where each of the three above mentioned preachers in turn, spoke briefly of the life and work of the founder of the Home. The chapel is a room fifteen feet wide and twenty-five feet long, so that less than fifty persons can be seated in it. A few of the visitors stood in the open doorway while the preachers were speaking, there being no seat for them within. At one o'clock the guests went to take luncheon. After the meal was over Editor Hodgson, McMann and Miss Gussie Berley, went up to the Vassar Hospital to see Mr. I. N. Soper, who is still there and still a very weak man.

**GENERAL GLEANINGS**

It was a shock to us all when the news came that Mr. Richard Leathorn, of London, had been killed on the Railway tracks on June 20th. He had been to a nearby store to purchase supplies, and was hurrying home across the dangerous tracks when struck and instantly killed by a fast express. He was in his 52d year, and leaves a wife and one child. He was formerly at the Belleville School and was a well known, highly esteemed and gentlemanly fellow. It is all the more distressing from the fact that his wife, who met with a very serious accident through a terrible lamp explosion last November and had been in the hospital ever since, was about to return home when the fatality darkened their home. We extend to the sorrowing ones our deepest sympathy. The deceased was a steady and faithful employee of the London Soap Works.

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and it pleased them to take home with them a cluster of such flowers. Some of the other folks went down to the barnyard with Rev. Kent to see the hens, cows and pigs. People who live in cities seldom see domestic animals. By the time the sun was well down behind the Highlands of the Hudson and the shadows of the lofty trees around the house has attained their full length, nearly all the visitors had left for their homes.

Elizabeth (Mrs. Steeves) did not get here to take her mother home until 8 P.M. At that hour her beautiful ear shot up in front of the parlor and her mother, who had been worrying and awaiting her arrival for two hours, was now all smiles. In the car were Mrs. Lux's husband, Mr. Frank Lux, a hearing man, and Mr. Steeves who drove the car. He experienced some difficulty, as most everybody does, who have never been here, in locating the place.

One day, late in May, Rev. J. H. Kent, who is always full of fun, wrote and informed the matron that he would be up here sooner or later with a new inmate, and bade her have a room ready for the newcomer. Mrs. Jones did as the divine wished her to, but when he arrived here, on the afternoon of June 28th, with his little daughter, Doris, and handed the matron a small birdege with a small canary bird in it, saying the bird was the new inmate and a present to her from him. After thanking the preacher, she took the new inmate up to her office or parlor, and his presence and sweet songs are a delight to her.

On the night of the thirteenth of June, a real new inmate arrived here with a niece and a nephew. This newcomer was and is Mr. George H. Bristol, of Argyle, N. Y. This gentleman reached his eighty-fourth milestone on the second day of this very month of June, and notwithstanding the fact that he is so old in years, he walks erect, and has yet no gray hairs, and looks rather young. He graduated from Fanwood in 1862, and married a Fanwood girl, and became a tiller of the soil. One of his sons died some years ago. He is a good talker, and the folks enjoy his company. Mrs. Hattie Tobin, Mrs. Catherine Leahy, and perhaps a few of the other inmates, were Mr. and Mrs. Bristol's schoolmates, and upon his arrival here, he readily recognized them. He feels at home here.

Mr. James H. Caton is spending a short time with his adopted sister, who lives down at Creswood, N. Y., with her husband and three children.

On Founder's Day, James Thompson, who has been living here for the past seventeen years, went to New York City to see the sights, improvements and changes, that lively town. He visited old Fanwood and was considerably interested and impressed with the changes and improvements that had taken place since he last visited the school twenty-five years ago. He came back here, on Thursday, the 12th of June, and says his visit to the metropolis made him immensely happy. At present there are thirteen women and thirteen men, all told, living here.

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July 1, 1924.

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Special services, lectures, socials and other events indicated on annual program card and duty announced.

You are cordially invited and urged to attend. Tell and bring your friends.

## DEAF CITIZENS PROTECTIVE LEAGUE OF CALIFORNIA.

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THE COLORADO STATE ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF.

The Executive Committee of the Colorado State Association of the Deaf unanimously decided upon August 8th, 9th and 10th next, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, as the date of its fourth convention. It will be held in Denver.

There will be no morning sessions Friday and Saturday, and Sunday will be given over to religious services, conducted by Rev. Homer E. Grace, of Denver. The afternoon sessions of Friday and Saturday will begin at 2:30, and continue until adjournment. The place of meeting will be announced later.

The evening of these two days will be at the disposal of the Local Committee, consisting of Mr. Frank A. Lessley (Chairman), Mrs. Edna Drumm Northern, Mr. F. L. DuBois Reid, Mr. E. W. Smith and Mr. Stephen Janovick. There will probably be a reception tendered by the Ladies of the Liberty Club, Friday evening, while Saturday evening it is planned to have a ride to Lookout Mountain, deaf auto owners of Denver and friends placing their cars at the service of the convention.

The session of Friday afternoon will be devoted to exercises commemorative of the half-hundredth anniversary of deaf-mute education in Colorado. A cordial invitation is extended to hearing friends to attend. Mr. Alfred Leslie Brown, Vice-Principal of the Colorado School for the Deaf, has kindly consented to serve as interpreter at these exercises.

The afternoon of Saturday will be occupied by convention business proper. The tentative program for the two days follows. There may be minor changes, but the outline here given will be adhered to as closely as possible.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 8TH, 2:30 P.M.  
Invocation by the Rev. Homer E. Grace.

Introductory remarks by the Acting President.

Hymn, "America," rendered in concert by Mrs. Bessie Bigler Veditz, Mrs. Grace Wolfe Collins, Mrs. Margaret Burchfield Alford, Miss Lucile Wolpert and Miss Kate Lindsey.

Address—By Hon. William E. Sweet, Governor of Colorado.

Address—By Hon. Asa T. Jones, friend and helper of the Colorado deaf.

Introductory remarks—Our Makers of History, by the Acting President.

Address—Pioneer Days, by Mr. David Harry Wolpert.

Address—The Founder, Jonathan Ralston Kennedy, 1874–1882, by Mrs. Grace Young Wolpert.

Address—The Preserver and Law-Giver, David Christopher Dudley, 1884–1888; 1894–1899, by Mr. Frank Alonso Lessley.

Address—The first Builder, John Edwin Ray, 1888–1894, by Miss Sadie Marie Young.

Address—The Superintendent who Never Assumed Office, Philip Goode Gillett, April, 1893–June, 1893, by Mr. Veditz.

Address—Argo, The Great, 1899–1921, by Mr. Robert Frewing.

Reminiscences by the audience.

Address—The Perfect Woman, Nobly Planned, Belle Chenault Argo, 1921–1922, by Mrs. Bessie Bigler Veditz. Reminiscences by the audience.

Address—The Present Superintendent, 1922–19, by Mr. Thomas S. McAloney.

The Doxology, led by Rev. Mr. Grace.

Adjournment.

The tentative program for the business session of the convention Saturday afternoon, 2:30, is as follows:

Invocation, by the Rev. Mr. Homer E. Grace.

Address—By the Acting President, Report of the Local Committee by the Chairman, Mr. Frank A. Lessley.

Report of the Committee on Enrollment.

Report of the Secretary-Treasurer, Report of the Committee on Resolutions by its Chairman, Mr. John Sebastian Fisher.

Unfinished business.

Election of Officers.

New Business.

The Doxology, led by Rev. Mr. Grace.

Adjournment.

Announcement is herewith made of the following appointments:

The Committee on Enrollment—The Secretary-Treasurer, Chairman, Mr. Sam Biller, Mr. James Tuskey.

The Committee on Resolutions—Mr. John S. Fisher, Chairman, Mr. Robert Frewing, Mr. Edward G. Whitaker.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Mr. Francis Gajewski, Mr. Joseph Shaner.

Chaplain of the Convention—The Rev. Homer H. Grace.

The order of business above is submitted with the approval of the Committee on Program, consisting of the Acting-President, ex-officio, Miss Sadie M. Young and Mr. F. L. DuBois Reid.

GEORGE WILLIAM VEDITZ,  
Acting President.

COLORADO SPRINGS,  
June 14, 1924.

Our Famous Wampum Belts

In 1682 William Penn negotiated, a treaty with the Indians which gave him the immense tract of land which later became Pennsylvania. Now, after nearly 300 years, two old belts of wampum, the very ones with which the Indians guaranteed their treaty with Penn, have just been acquired by the Museum of the American Indian, Heye Foundation, New York.

The story of the loss and recovery of these important historical and anthropological relics is most interesting. For many years the belts were stored at the old Penn estate known as Pennsylvania Castle, in Portland, England. There they were supposed to be slumbering in safety and good keeping, until in July last, students of History were astonished to learn that Christie, of London had just sold at auction the wampum belts.

For some reason the sale was not advertised in the United States and as there was no American representative in London, two of the most valuable records of early American history were apparently lost forever to this country. No sooner was the announcement of the sale received in New York, however, than Harmon N. Hendricks, vice-chairman of the Museum's Board of Trustees, volunteered to supply all the funds necessary for the search and recovery of the belts.

No time was lost, cable followed cable to the museum agents in London. The first reports were disheartening, but they merely spurred the workers to greater efforts. After weeks of diligent search, news came that the two wampum belts were at last America's property and were on their way to America. They arrived early in the month of November and now occupy an honored place in the museum's archives.

The larger belt is made of strings of wampum, 25½ inches by 5½ inches. The ground work is white, with four crosses or diagrams in violet colored beads made from clam or mussel shells. The smaller belt is of similar design and color, but consists of 15 strings. Originally there were three belts which belonged to the Penn family, but one was presented by Granville John Penn, the great grandson of William Penn, to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania.

The existence of the Penn belts has long been known in this country through the medium of this belt.

In his letter accompanying the gift on March 21, 1857, Granville John Penn wrote: "It is the belt of wampum presented by the Indian chiefs to the founder of Pennsylvania, at the great treaty which was held at Shackamaxon in 1682, confirmatory of the treaty of friendship which was then concluded between them."

There is some reason to believe that this belt was actually presented in 1683 instead of 1682, but in either case it is believed that the belts just acquired by the historical society may have been presented at the same time. It is a common practice among the Indians to present two or more belts commemorating or in ratification of the same agreement, and the two belts now in New York are similar to the so-called "original Penn belt."

To the students of Indian manners and customs and scientists generally these belts are of great interest as they are considered as being among the finest specimens of early shell wampum now in existence. Before the Europeans came to North America, the Indians used to make their strings of wampum chiefly of small pieces of wood of equal size, stained either black or white. Few such as the Penn belts were made of mussels, which were esteemed very valuable, as the Indians did not have proper tools to make and finish them. The Indians' method of making shell wampum was to first saw the mussels into square pieces about a quarter of an inch in length and an eighth in thickness and then grind them round or oval. Then a hole being bored lengthwise through each large enough to admit a whipcord, or thin thong, they were strung like beads. Four or six strings in one breadth and fastened to each other with fine thread, make a belt of wampum, about three or four inches wide, and three feet long, containing perhaps 4, 8 and 12 fathoms of wampum, in proportion to its required length and breadth. This is determined by the importance of the subject, which the belts are intended either to explain or confirm, or by the dignity of the person to whom they are to be delivered. Everything formerly transacted at solemn councils either between the Indians themselves, or with the Europeans, was ratified, and made valid by strings and belts of wampum. Neither the color nor the other qualities of the wampum were matters of indifference, but had an immediate reference to those things which they were meant to confirm. The brown or deep violet, called black by the Indians, always meant something of doubtful and severe import, but white was the color of peace. Thus if a string or belt of wampum was intended to confirm a warning against evil, or an earnest reproof, it was delivered in black. When a nation was called upon to go to war, or war declared against it, the belt was black or marked with red, called by them the color of blood, having in the middle the

figure of a hatchet, in white wampum.

Wampum beads were made by the Indians from a number of different kinds of shells, but the one that was used in the greatest number was the ordinary hard clam or quahog, which is found in great numbers from Cape Cod to Florida. Roger Williams, writing of the eastern Indians, states that they store up shells in summer against winter, whereof they make their money."—New York Press.

Printing in the Public Schools

We are familiar with the old saying, "the printing office is the Poor man's university," and some one has reminded us that "one cannot be compositor for a quarter of a century without insensibly acquiring an education and a store of knowledge far exceeding the ordinary."

Schools maintaining courses in printing are finding that the subject has many features commanding it for educational purposes. The printing press can readily be made a factor in education, because of a very natural relationship between it and almost all subjects of the school curriculum.

Successful work in a printing course depends upon the mastery of certain academic subjects, and from the very outset pupils recognize the need of these studies. They may never before have thought them worth while; but they begin to fathom the old adage, "Knowledge is power," soon after they take up the study of printing.

There is no other line of activity that is so peculiarly rich in its associations as printing. It "underlies all learning." Its influence will function in all branches of academic training, language, reading, spelling, drawing, arithmetic, history, geography, science, etc. Shop activities in a printing school soon invade and transform these departments, and vivify and vitalize them by substituting bookishness with reality. The shop becomes the dynamic force from which emanate the invigorating currents that give life to every subject in the curriculum. It also becomes the magnetic pole that attracts all subjects unto itself, and holds them in unified relation to one another and to itself.

They discover that the subject necessitates above all things a thorough and intimate knowledge of language. In the setting of bold, cold type, there is no way of disguising ignorance. Every improper punctuation mark, every misplaced capital, every misspelled word, every poorly constructed sentence is a "Daniel come to judgment" when once in print. Nothing can impress boys so strongly with the necessity of care in English expression as such pages of cold type, bearing compositions which are the work of their own heads and hands; and our experience has been that pupils can develop wonderful powers of expression in their composition work, that they can write more coherently, more accurately, and in every way better than many pupils of greater talent, who pursue the regular grammar school course.

Many think of a "Printer" as an ink-smudged pressman or a compositor who sticks type for a book or a daily newspaper; but, used in its broad sense, the term "Printer" means much and brings to mind the names of men like Gutenberg, Caxton and Franklin. The craft presents many interesting bits of history. The Chinese and their wood-block printing, the Egyptians and their carvings on stone, the Babylonians and their cuneiform brick libraries, the Romans, the Medieval Monks, Gutenberg, Caxton, Franklin, Greeley, the Curtis Publishing Company; these represent the whole gamut of the world's history. Here is an opportunity to relate a subject closely to the experiences of the boys.

Bacon wrote, "Reading maketh a full man." Printing unconsciously maketh a reader. The very nature of the work will develop in boys a greater skill in reading as well as a love for books. Books appeal to printer-boys; they are the creations of printers. They are the realities of their own efforts. What workman is not appealed to by the creation of his own hands?

The practical usefulness of the printer's type case as a means of liberal training, is most fully realized in a consideration of the influence it bears on the teaching of spelling. With this movable alphabet our youthful printers learn the association of letters in words in manner productive of positive results. The brain centers of sight and touch, working in conjunction as they do in typesetting, make possible very effective spelling instruction.

The art element in printing is as ever-present as the language element. Printing is the "Art preservative of all arts." No matter what the work in hand is, be it the composition of letterhead or business card, an advertisement or a page of straight matter, the principles of drawing are always a paramount issue. Order, unity, balance, proportion, harmony; these are always of prime consideration. On first thought, it may seem that

there is no particular relationship between the subject in question and mathematics. On closer investigation, however, it is found that typography is an exact science and that its very foundation stone is mathematics. A study of the Point System is in itself a training of no mean proportions in elementary mathematics. But aside from the mathematical thinking involved in typography, there are infinite kinds of practical work in arithmetic that may be correlated with printing.

Even science may be brought under the vitalizing influence of the shop. It need no longer be studied with spool and string, with yardstick levers, but it can center itself around the mechanical parts of the various presses, stitchers, cutters, motors and belts, comprising printing equipment.

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Thus the story goes. When we consider the wonderful possibilities of printing as a subject for school work; when we apprehend the interesting and vital correlations with other departments and activities of school life that can be discovered and developed; when we behold the extended panorama of cultural subjects glorified by their associations with the art which "underlies all learning," and when we remember that schoolmen from time immemorial have been cudgeling their brains for new school arts which might interest and profit children; then we wonder that "tool of instruction" did not long ago force itself upon the minds of educators and win for itself a place in our halls of learning.—William Kamprath.

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BROOKLYN S. A. C.

The Brooklyn Silent Athletic Club, Inc., held its Fifth Annual Picnic and Games at Ulmer Park Athletic Field, on Saturday afternoon and evening, July 5th.

The day was an ideal one for such an outing, yet the picnickers were tardy in getting to the Park.

The committee, however, went ahead with the program they had outlined for the entertainment of their guests.

The first thing on the program was a baseball game between the Silent A. C. of Brooklyn and the New Jersey Silent A. C., and was closely contested from start to finish in seven innings, and was won by the boys of New Jersey, the score being 4 to 1. It just lacked ten minutes to six, when the rest of the program was started.

Mr. Paul J. D. Anno, the Chairman of the Arrangement Committee was in charge, having the following field officials to assist him:

Monteller, Starter; E. A. Hodgeson, John O'Rourke and Anthony Capelle, Judges.

The 100 yards dash had eight starters and was won by C. Bradley, and J. Garrick, a cadet of Fanwood, was second.

In the 440 yards run, E. Kerwin and N. Cairano, both of Fanwood, came in first and second respectively, beating ten who started.

In the relay race, the Houston team, composed of Messrs. Pokorny, Shafranek, Yager and Garrick, easily won.

The Houstons are an organization to promote athletics, and has been in existence for several years. It was organized at Fanwood, but as the original members have since nearly all graduated, its activities are being continued, and of the four members that won the relay race, the first three named graduated last June, and James Garrick is still a pupil of the school.

The 440 yards walking match came next, and was won by the Houston Club boys, namely, Pokorny first, and Ben Shafranek second.

The one mile run had the largest entry, but all except N. Cairano, the winner, and M. Forman, who secured second prize, withdrew before completing three of the four laps.

There were several events for ladies and children, but only the ball throwing contest for ladies was carried out, as the ladies did not wish to contest in the others. The winner of the ball throwing contest was Miss E. Brenneisen, a recent graduate of Fanwood School, and Miss Jessie Stoloff, a product of the Lexington Avenue School was a close second.

At the conclusion of the games all assembled in the covered pavilion, where there was music, and those who cared, danced to their hearts' content.

Many family parties gathered around tables and partook of luncheon, which they brought for the occasion.

Several parties concluded their days' outing by visiting Coney Island, which is only one mile from Ulmer Park.

The arrangement Committee to their credit did every thing expected of them to make the affair the success that it was, and they are Messrs. Paul J. D. Anno (Chairman), J. Stiglabbotti, W. Bowers, A. Berg, J. Dragonetti, D. Gaffney, J. Rudolph and H. Goldberg.

The Executive officers for the present year of the Brooklyn Silent Athletic Club are S. E. Patcher, President; Hanley, Vice-President; Charles Schindler, Secretary; Allen Hitchcock, Treasurer; and Baschen, Sergeant-at-Arms.

In honor of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott Runde, of Berkely, Cal., who Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. McMann have been royally entertaining during Mr. and Mrs. Runde's stay in New York between the Gallaudet College Reunion, which they attended, and the St. Paul Convention, which they are now taking in, the McManns gave a reception, on Wednesday, evening, July 2d, at their home, 157 West 105th Street, to which were invited Drs. and Mrs. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. C. Barnes, Dr. and Mrs. Nies, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kenner, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gledhill, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Kane, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Radcliffe, Mrs. J. H. Mcclusky, the Misses Helen and Mary Hotchkiss and Alice Judge, and Messrs. E. A. Hodgeson, Isaac Goldberg, Alexander L. Pach, John O'Rourke, S. Frankenstein, Jas. Orman, Ed. Benedict, Clayton L. McLaughlin, J. O. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Jos. H. McMann. As a number of the guests were colleagues of Mr. and Mrs. Runde, Gallaudet reminiscences played a large part in the evening's enjoyment. Mr. and Mrs. Runde were stars of the class of '01. Mrs. Runde was Frances Norton, and though she has been out of College twenty-three years she is still a girlish matron, to coin a term to fit her. During their ten-day

stay in New York, Mr. and Mrs. Runde enjoyed a continual round of entertainment at the hands of Mr. and Mrs. McMann, the last named having been a schoolmate at the California School of both Mr. and Mrs. Runde. At the end of a most delightful evening, delightful refreshments were served in the McMann's usual princely style.

Mrs. Myrtle Corey (nee Morris), teacher of the Knoxdale (Tenn.) School for the Deaf, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rembeck. Mrs. Corey and Mr. Rembeck were schoolmates at the Cave Spring (Ga.) School for the Deaf, and although they had not met in forty-two years, they recognized each other. Mrs. Corey by marriage is related to Mr. Corey, ex-President of the great Steel Corporation. While in the city, besides being entertained by the Rembecks, Mrs. Corey has been shown the sight of the city by Mr. E. Souwaine, the president of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League.

Quiet a large party met at the Dyckman Street ferry last Sunday morning, thence crossed on the ferry to Interstate Park, where the Sorority of Jewish Deaf held their family outing, and will continue to hold every Sunday during the summer. Mrs. A. A. Cohn presided over the camp fire and a large coffee pot, and passed around cup after cup of the steaming hot coffee twice during the day. The Sorority intend to go on an excursion to Roton Point, Ct., on Thursday morning, July 17th. Boat starts from Battery Park at 10 A.M.

For the past several weeks Benjamin Wolff has been idle on account of the Cloak and Suit strike in this city. The firm of which he is member with his brother, and left to them by his father, employs about 150 hands. The strikers want 40 hours per week and more pay. Ben says that they have been making from \$40 to \$70 per week, and as for shorter hours, he thinks 48 hours per week is not too long for the good pay they have been receiving.

A whist party was held at the home of Miss Esther Jacobs, on Sunday, June 22d. Among those present were: Mesdames Max Miller, Moses W. Loew, Simon Hirsch, Louis A. Cohen, Marcus L. Kenner, Isaac Moses and Mrs. Jacobs, the mother of Miss Jacobs. Mrs. Louis A. Cohen won the first prize. The second prize went to Mrs. Isaac Moses, and "Booby Prize" to Mrs. Max Miller. Appetizing refreshments were served, and the party broke up in the wee sma' hours.

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The following was sent us by a friend in Lancaster, to whom we send our obligation:

On Thursday evening, June 19th, a very successful party was held for Mr. B. W. Musser, 418 E. Ross Street, Lancaster, Pa., on the occasion of celebrating his seventieth birthday. The party was a surprise to Mr. Musser, his sons having taken him out for the early part of the evening, while away the guests assembled, and on his return he was most pleasantly surprised to find his friends and family there.

The house was beautifully decorated with peonies and roses. Games were played and at a seasonable hour refreshments were served. Mr. Musser was the recipient of many fine and useful gifts.

The five children of Mr. Musser: Mrs. and Mr. A. L. Herr, Mrs. L. A. Kingrey, Edna S. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Musser and Paul G. Musser, were present as well as his seven grandchildren—Pearl, Alma and Paul A. Herr and Abner, Jr., John, Ruth and Ben Musser, and the following friends: Mr. and Mrs. John C. Etter and daughter Esther, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Myers and daughters Charlesanna and Alice, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Seusenig, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Purvis, Albert Hostetter, Miss Mae DeLong, Mr. J. D. Rider, Mr. B. Frank Leaman and Mr. Robert Delp, and Mr. Scott B. Miller.

We are glad to report that Mr. Harry E. Stevens' wounds are mending so rapidly that he expects to leave Hahnemann Hospital on Tuesday, July 1st, for his home in Merchantville, N. J. It will be some time, however, before he recovers fully, which at the most may be by the end of the summer. He has been in the hospital exactly six weeks.

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Washington Houston gave his friend, William C. Shepherd, a surprise party in honor of his 62d birthday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ormrod in Kensington on the evening of June 18th last.

The day proper was the 22d of June, Sunday; so the party was given on the above date. Mr. and Mrs. Ormrod provided a birthday cake and ice-cream, and Mr. Shepherd was well remembered by his friends.

An enjoyable evening was passed by all present, among whom were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Ormrod, Mrs. Lena Boyer, Mrs. M. J. Syle, Mrs. Christopher Scott, Mrs. James Dougherty, Mrs. M. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. J. McMonagle, Andrew Leitch, William Hempill, Charles Bloominer, Kineimer Kueonski and Mr. Houston. Rev. Smaltz sent congratulations to Mr. Shepherd by letter.

Mr. and Mrs. Reider were surprised by an unexpected visit of the former's brother, of near Reading, Pa., on Saturday noon June 21st last. He came by automobile, bringing, with him his younger daughter, and remained till Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Dorothy Sanders Knight, of Woodstock, N. Y., with a partner, has opened a fine shop for the sale of beautiful Chinese articles and antique pieces. Indications point to unexpected success.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Campbell spent a few days in Washington, D. C., last week.

Mr. Frank Jahn has been offered a position in a printing office in Atlantic City, N. J.

John Martin is now employed at the Lee Rubber Tire Works in Conshohocken.

## SEATTLE.

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THE National Fraternal Society of the Deaf cut a wide swath with the public in Minnesota last week—it made quite a favorable impression.

Most newspaper readers were astonished at the fact that the Society numbers more than five thousand members. They were also surprised to learn that its assets were nearly six hundred thousand dollars.

The business ability and integrity of the deaf received quite a boost.

We print that part of the proceedings which is of public interest. The details are for Frats only.

The officers of the Grand Division which were elected, show a safe and conservative attitude that merits praise.

And the refusal to admit women into the Society is probably best for the women themselves, as it surely is for the organization itself.

Good for the Frats. It took many years to get established upon a solid basis, but today it promises much for the deaf through its fraternal helpfulness. Let us always have harmony and goodwill.

THE National Fraternal Society got a "Special Train" from Chicago to St. Paul, by the Burlington Route, on July 6th. The folder menus on the dining cars had it printed on the front cover. Quite a distinction for the Frats.

NO DOUBT Jay Cooke Howard distributed the colored badges on which was printed "Duluth Welcomes You." "Gateway of the Ocean." On the reverse side was printed—"You'll Find in DULUTH, The Summer City of the Continent, The front door of the Iron Industry, The gateway to the World's Bread Basket, The City of Homes and Contentment, The second largest Port in America, The Beginning and End of Water Transportation, The welcome you appreciate, whether Visitor, Investor or Homeseeker."

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OUR OLD FRIEND, Henry M. Hall, of Pittsburgh, has reached the age of ninety-six years, in good health and spirits, and is sauntering along life's journey to the century milestone with four leisurely laps to go. His articles on various topics have edified the JOURNAL readers many a time. His wife, a former teacher of the New York Institution, passed away long years ago, but Mr. Hall has always kept up interest in the deaf.

Mr. Hall made a tour of all the European capitals, when he was 74 years of age, spending five years at the pleasant task. He was born in New York City, when it had only 250,000 souls, and above 14th Street was "in the country." The "old swimming hole" was in those days at 23d Street and East River. Mr. Hall has a clear mind, is physically fit at 96. Our best wishes go with him, and we hope to greet him when he comes cantering past the post at the finish of one hundred years.

## ALABAMA

### HARPER—DWIGHT

Mr. Herman Harper, long a member of the silent clan of the Magic City, recently made a trip to Columbia, S. C., which had a most happy termination. Miss Annie Dwight, of Wedgewell, S. C., there became the bride of Mr. Harper on the 28th of June, the wedding ceremony being conducted by Rev. J. D. Crain, pastor of the Second Baptist Church of Columbia.

Mr. Harper and his bride made a trip to Ashville, N. C., and other points, during which they saw five of the Southern States, but the inference is that none of the others of the group appealed to them as does good old Alabama, for the new couple have located for the present in Norwood, one of Birmingham's choice suburbs.

Mr. Harper has made an enviable record for himself as a linotypist, his reputation as a manipulator of the keys being such that he is able to obtain a position with any of the leading newspapers of this section almost at will. Like Mr. Harper, Mrs. Harper is a graduate of Gallaudet College. She has taken a leading part in the affairs of the deaf of her native State, South Carolina. She taught for some years in the Tennessee School for the Deaf, and last year in the South Carolina School. She was honored at the Atlanta Convention a year ago by being elected vice-president of the Gallaudet College Alumni Association, which office she still holds.

### PULVER-ROLLINGS

A social event of interest to the deaf not only of Alabama, but also of other silent circles took place on the afternoon of June 29th, when Miss Ollie Rollings, of Guntersville, Ala., and Rev. Henry J. Pulver, of Washington, D. C., were united in marriage at the Church of the Advent in Birmingham. The service was read by Rev. Herbert C. Merrill, Episcopal minister to the deaf of Central New York, who accompanied the bridegroom on his trip South, specially for the occasion, and it was witnessed by a large number of friends, who found ample accommodation in the spacious auditorium of the church.

Mrs. Melvin Weil, of Birmingham, a former schoolmate of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mrs. A. M. Alred, of Guntersville, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Mr. J. H. McFarlane was best man. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white meteor crepe.

As soon as their arrangements could be completed following the ceremony, Mr. Pulver and his bride were sped northward to Washington, where he has his headquarters as Episcopal minister to the deaf of the diocese of Washington, Virginia and West Virginia. They will make their home in the Capital City.

Mr. Pulver is a graduate of the Malone, N. Y., School for the Deaf and of Gallaudet College. He took his theological course in the Episcopal Divinity School of Philadelphia, where he graduated with honor.

Mrs. Pulver graduated from the Alabama School for the Deaf, after which she attended Gallaudet College for a time.

On the morning of the wedding, services for the deaf were conducted in the Church of the Advent by the visiting clergymen. In introducing Mr. Merrill, Mr. Pulver remarked on the noteworthy fact that his co-worker in the Episcopal missionary field, was ministering to the deaf, where he (Mr. Pulver) had been brought up, while he had taken Mr. Merrill's place in the Washington, D. C., part of the field. Mr. Merrill followed with a sermon drawn from the parable of the Great Supper, and his discourse was a most interesting one to the large number present.

A few days previous to her wedding Mrs. Pulver had a shower given in her honor at the home of Mrs. Melvin Weil in Birmingham, assisted by Mrs. J. F. Brocato, also entertained a few intimate friends of the bride and bridegroom at a wedding dinner on the day of the ceremony. Rev. Mr. Merrill, one of the guests of the dinner, was mildly shocked on finding that Mr. J. H. McFarlane, who like himself still feels the forge of Minnesota traditions, had learned to eat corn bread—an article of diet which in that part of the north is considered fit only for animals. But it is a safe guess

that, judging from the appetizing quality of the repast, Mr. Merrill accepted a second piece of that same pone before the dinner was over if there was any of it in sight.

The big event of the season for the deaf of these parts is not the great show up in St. Paul, but one that the Alabama Association of the Deaf is going to pull off in Birmingham this month (July 23d-26th) the tentative program of which we append. The deaf world is invited to take in the affair, and anyone who has rubbed against the hustling bunch that make up the local committee can well believe that there will be something doing among the Alabama deaf worth coming across the country for on the dates given herewith:

### TENTATIVE PROGRAM ALABAMA ASSOCIATION OF THE DEAF

JULY 23-26TH, 1924.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JULY 23D.

Reception : 100 P.M.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 24TH.

Opening Session at 9:30 A.M.

Invocation.

Recitation : Convention Poem rendered by Mrs. J. F. Brocato.

Address of Welcome: Hon. L. E. McLendon, President of City Commission of Birmingham.

Response: Mr. C. J. Daughdrill, of Mobile.

Address: "My Acquaintance With the Deaf"—Hon. Borden Burr, of Birmingham.

Paper: "The Establishment of a Labor Bureau for the Deaf"—Mr. J. M. Robertson, Chief of the N. C. Labor Bureau and President of the N. C. Association of the Deaf.

Appointment of Committees.

Announcements.

Recitation.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING.

Auto Sight-seeing Ride and Amusements at East Lake Park.

FRIDAY MORNING, JULY 25TH.

9:00 A.M.—Invocation.

Recitation: "America"—Miss G. Duff, of Mobile.

Address: Mrs. Mary Echols, of Birmingham.

Paper: "The Education of the Deaf"—Miss Carrie Henderson, of Talladega.

Address: "Retrospection"—Mr. Oscar Roberts, of Birmingham.

Addresses: Mr. J. H. McFarlane, of Talladega; Miss Maumee Roberts, of Birmingham; Mr. Ross Johnson, of Atlanta.

Address: "Banking Business"—Miss Pattie Kirkland, of Decatur.

Address: "Dairying as an Occupation for the Deaf"—Mr. Matt Horn, of Pyriton.

Address: Athletic Views—Mr. D. M. Huffman, of Birmingham.

Address: Mrs. J. H. McFarlane, of Talladega.

New Business.

Announcements.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON—2:30 P.M.

Recitation: Miss Elizabeth Black, of Wylam.

President's Address.

Secretary's Report.

Treasurer's Report.

Labor Committee's Report.

Law Committee's Report.

Other Reports.

Discussion led by Mr. Herman Harper.

Unfinished Business.

Announcements.

FRIDAY EVENING—7:30 P.M.

Unfinished Business.

Communications.

Reports of Committee: Auditing,

Necrology, Resolutions, Local, etc.

Election of Officers.

Closing Hymn: "God Be With You."

Adjournment.

SATURDAY, JULY 26TH.

All Day Picnic.

SUNDAY, JULY 27TH.

Religious Services.

DIOCESE OF MARYLAND.

Rev. O. J. WHILDIN, General Missionary, 2100 N. Calvert Street, Baltimore, Md.

Baltimore—Grace Mission, Grace and St. Peter's Church, Park Ave. and Monument St.

Services.

First Sunday, Holy Communion and Service, 3:15 P.M.

Second Sunday, Evening Prayer and Adoration, 3:15 P.M.

Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Service, 3:15 P.M.

Fourth Sunday, Litany, or Ante-Communion and Sermon, 3:15 P.M.

Fifth Sunday, Ante-Communion and Catechism, 3:15 P.M.

Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except the First, 4:30 P.M.

Gold and Silver Sealings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.

Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 11 A.M.

Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.

Cumberland—St. Timothy's Mission, Emmanuel Church, Second Monday, 8 P.M.

Other Places by Appointment.

PLAY SEVERAL SELECTIONS.

Following the baton of Leader Fred Fancher, the boys, nattily arrayed in blue and brass, played

the "Welcome." At intervals during the program "Success" and other musical interludes were given.

This band, maintained by the State of Illinois, was brought here

at the expense of the National

Fraternal Society of the Deaf,

aboard the special train of eight

cars which left Chicago over the

Burlington Sunday, bearing 213

deaf folks. This is said to be the

first time in history a long special

train was devoted to the exclusive

use of the "Sons of Silence." All

arrangements were made by Grand

Secretary F. P. Gibson.

## ST. PAUL.

### NOTES OF DEAF SOCIETY.

The casual spectator of witnessing an assembly of the Dukes of Deafdom can't fail to be impressed by the spirit of cheerfulness prevalent. In older Genoa they hired an organized band of mutes to attend funerals, doubtless because of the constant stolid, somber aspect of these, then uneducated, people.

Today, instead of the mutish mournfulness of mein, one sees a holiday spirit ranging from sunny dispositions to a habitual bent for horse-play. Pick out any strange face in the lobby of The Saint Paul today, and the betting odds are five to one that if the face seems suffused with sheer joy of living, it belongs to some one deprived of the sense of hearing.

### DELEGATE BOOSTS SEATTLE.

Albert W. Wright, the Seattle delegate, who owns a half interest in a movie theater there, is booming Seattle for the 1927 convention. "Seattle, the Seaport of Success," he says, "outlet of Alaska and the Orient, is the one spot every American should see before shuffling off this mortal coil. A circle trip over the Canadian Rockies and down the coast to California, returning via Mexico and New Orleans, would not set back the convention held in any other vicinity, taking advantage of the summer tourist rates which are only slightly more than one full fare. Philadelphia in the East, Atlanta in the South, and now St. Paul in the vast Mid-West have had the last three conventions, while the Pacific Coast remains virgin territory to the delegates." Wright's arguments are attracting quite a following.

### SEVERAL HAD SONS IN THE ARMY.

Several of the leaders had sons in the service. The only son of Grand Secretary F. P. Gibson, Chicago, has two wound stripes; motorcycle dispatch bearer in the Argonne. First Vice-President L. C. Williams, San Francisco, had two sons in the army. Second Vice-President Alexander L. Pach, head of the Pach Photography Company of New York and the favorite photographer of the late Theodore Roosevelt, had one in the navy and one in the army. John H. Pershing, alternate from Springfield, Ohio, is a cousin of the commander of the American forces.

More than a dozen of the other "silents" now in attendance at the convention, worked in the gas-mask and balloon departments of the Goodyear plant in Akron in the war. Several others were among those enrolled in the "dead death battalion" which "Teddy" Roosevelt intended to take to France in his "private army" to be recruited from the exempt classes, immediately on